

RUSSIAN GENERAL BLOWN TO PIECES

MAN DIES IN A MISS OLSEN IS BATTLE ON FOR HIT BY DENTIST CHAIR ON THE STAND WATER FRONT DEADLY MISSILE

Robert E. Kearon of Alameda Calls to Have Teeth Fixed and Expires.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 30.—Robert E. Kearon, a resident of Alameda for twenty years, and who was employed as clerk in the office of the Northwestern Railway Company, across the bay, expired suddenly last evening while seated in a dentist chair.

The unfortunate man had called at the office of Dr. Harry Smith, in the Putzman Block, at Chestnut station, to have his teeth examined, having had some work done previously, and had been there but a short time when his death ensued.

DIES IN CHAIR.

Kearon was seated in the chair and Dr. Smith was holding a small hand mirror to his face for him to see the work which had been done, when he suddenly fell over backward and expired, having been stricken with heart disease.

IN GOOD HEALTH.

Dr. Smith, the dentist, says that the deceased had been in his office something over five minutes, and that when he entered he was apparently in his usual health. The deceased had been attending since December 10 last by Dr. W. O. Smith, the well-known physician, who is a brother of the dentist.

Dr. Smith says that Kearon was suffering from fatty degeneration of the heart, and as he has signed a death certificate to that effect it is probably no inquest will be held.

IS WELL KNOWN.

The deceased was fifty-three years of age, and resided at 1615 Dayton avenue, Alameda. He was a relative, by marriage, of Mrs. L. H. Jacob, prominent in Alameda society circles, and who is the wife of the well-known official of the telephone company.

PACKERS CONTINUE FIGHTING

Witnesses Say Garfield Promised to Guard the Facts Secured.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Louis C. Krauthoff again took the stand today when the trial which is to determine whether or not the packers are entitled to immunity entered upon its second day. District Attorney Morrison finished his cross-examination last evening, and Attorney Miller, for the packers, resumed the direct examination.

The witness was asked many questions regarding his opinion of the law under which the immunity is claimed by the packers, with the result that the District Attorney objected to almost every question that was asked, and numerous arguments between counsel followed.

After various objections had been disposed of by the court, Attorney Miller said:

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"Objection sustained," said the court.

Mr. Miller then went before the bench of the court and in low tones dictated to the stenographer a detailed statement of what he offered to prove to the jury, but which the court had ruled out. He announced that he did this for the purpose of preserving the record of the case. It was claimed by the attorney for the packers that the court erred in ruling out what they offered to prove.

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CHASED OUT OF HER HOME

Alameda Woman Has Trouble and Packs Up and Leaves.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 30.—Mrs. J. Edward Hayden, wife of the well-known driver for the Court-street fire house, has left her home today, having been chased out of her house by a knife-wielding man, and departed for San Francisco to reside with her relatives, the break in the Hayden domicile occurring after less than a year and a half of married life.

Mrs. Hayden complained to the police yesterday morning that her husband had chased her out of the house with a knife. The report was made to Detective Brown at 9:50 o'clock and referred to Officer Meobus, who accompanied the lady to her home, at the corner of Court and Jackson streets, where she secured her clothing and sent it to San Francisco in an express wagon.

The affair seems to be the result of a family jar and the husband denies that he brandished a knife, as his wife states. He says that they agreed to separate and that he had no objection to her taking her clothes, and it was entirely unnecessary for her to call in a policeman.

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Girl Who Accuses Lester McNulty Answers Questions of Attorney Frick.

In the case of Lester C. McNulty, of Berkeley, who is charged with assault upon Miss Dorothy Olsen on the 5th of last November, the cross-examination of the complainant by Attorney Frick was resumed this morning in the Superior Court before Judge Harris.

Witness said that she remembered having met McNulty in the presence of Officer Farrer and Mr. Marshall on November 7th, and that that officer had asked her to tell whether or not she thought that McNulty was the man who had assaulted her. She admitted that McNulty then took off his glasses and she asked him to stand in the room where the light could strike his face. She further admitted that McNulty had pulled his hat down over his face in a certain manner at the request of herself. She was then asked by Farrer if she recognized the defendant as the man who had assaulted her. She replied by saying that she had said that McNulty looked like the man who had attacked her.

OTHER TESTIMONY.

Attorney Frick tried to show by reference to testimony given at the preliminary examination that the witness had said that she was unable to identify McNulty as her assailant, and that she did not even recognize his voice.

MEMORY DEFECTIVE.

Witness readily answered in the affirmative many of the questions touching what had transpired at the meeting in question, but her memory seemed defective when asked as to whether or not she had made answers at that gathering which would go to show that she had failed to identify the defendant as her assailant. She denied positively that Officer Farrer had said to her: "I am going back to my office to make my report, and I want you to say whether or not this man (McNulty) is the man who assaulted you." She also

denied that she had replied to that question that she did not recognize McNulty as her assailant.

ABOUT THAT COAT.

Counsel then referred to an attempt on the part of Detective Jamieson to induce the witness to identify McNulty. Mr. Marshall in the presence of the witness told Jamieson that Miss Olsen had found a coat upon the lawn. "Did not Jamieson ask you if you got a good look at the fellow, and did you not say that you kept turning your head around?" asked Frick.

"I said, 'yes.' That was all I said," was the answer.

"Did not Jamieson ask if your clothes were torn?"

"Will you say positively that Jamieson did not ask you if your clothes were torn, and did you not say that they were torn?"

"He did not ask me that question,"

MAKES DENIAL.

"Did you not say to Jamieson that the man whom you saw at the Marshall home was not the man who had assaulted you, because the man who assaulted you was much darker?" asked Frick.

"No, I didn't," was the reply.

"No such question was put to you?"

"Something like it."

"Did I not ask you at the preliminary examination whether or not you had stated at the Marshall house to Mr. Jamieson that the man who had been at your house the night before was not the man who assaulted you because the man who assaulted you was much darker?"

"Yes, I think I did."

"Did you not say to Mr. Jamieson that you thought you would recognize the man if you saw him?"

"I said 'yes.' I recognized him as the man."

Mr. Frick moved to strike out the answer as not responsive.

The court allowed the answer to stand.

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TO FACE BURGLARY CHARGE PREPARES TO BE A ROBBER

Alameda Youths Must Stand Trial in Superior Court. This Youth Steals From Japanese and Runs Away From Home.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 30.—The preliminary hearing of Frank E. Bowen and Donald McKisick, which occupied most of the day on Saturday before Judge Tappan, was formally concluded this morning in the City Justice's Court. The two defendants were held to answer to the Superior Court on charges of attempted burglary.

The young men had been detected, it is claimed, while endeavoring to force an entrance into the Southern Pacific ticket office at Seventh street, Alameda, early on December 15.

The proceedings this morning were of a formal character. Judge Tappan issued the order and holding Bowen and McKisick over for trial and fixing the bonds at \$200 in each case.

Those in the courtroom were Mrs. Bowen and her daughter, while the only attorney present was L. S. Church of Oakland, associate counsel for Young McKisick. Judge Tappan made no formal statement in ordering the prisoners held for trial.

Detective George H. Brown took the prisoners to the County Jail and subsequently Miss McKisick, sister of one of the defendants, arrived at the Alameda city prison with new bonds to secure his release. McKisick had been released on bonds before the hearing, but here last fall and visit Rio de Janeiro so far young Bowen has not been able to secure sureties.

THROWN FROM HORSE. WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Miss Shelby Converse, who was thrown from her horse yesterday, was resting more easily today. Miss Converse is the daughter of Admiral Converse.

PRINTERS WALKED OUT.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Jan. 30.—The Augusta Chronicle issued a paper as usual today, although every union printer walked out last night.

Southern Pacific Company and Its Rivals Tugging Away at Old Records.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—The restrictions on the American Dredging Company caused by the injunction proceedings of the Southern Pacific Company against the Western Pacific Company, were removed at the injunction hearing before Judge Morrow in the city court today. The Southern Pacific Company and the Southern Pacific Railroad Company are dismissed by consent.

THE EVIDENCE.

A. A. Moore drove a few more rivets in the legal castings by which he hopes to make hard and fast the Southern Pacific's claim to the north training wall land. The second day of the hearing before Judge Morrow in the United States Circuit Court began at 10 o'clock, and Mr. Moore began on a slightly different line than that pursued yesterday. Then he was proving by grants and deeds the title to the Oakland water front, which the Oakland Water Front Company turned over to the Southern Pacific Company. Today he showed by delving still further into the old records that these deeds and grants, though assailed by the city in later days, had been approved by the courts, and the city itself had finally recognized their validity and settled litigation on that basis.

MANY DOCUMENTS.

The attorneys brought into court this morning formidable supplies of documents, most of which will be read. It took two men to carry in a supply of maps which will be used. In a telescope suitcase the Western Pacific attorneys carried their affidavits, books, etc.; while the Southern Pacific attorneys were content with an old-fashioned gripsack, which, however, was quite as well filled as its rival.

AN OLD SUIT.

Mr. Moore presented the transcript in a suit of the City of Oakland vs. H. N. Carpenter and H. W. Carpenter was offered. This suit was brought to avoid transferring the water front property, and the defendants won.

The record in a similar suit of The City of Oakland vs. the Water Front

A stipulation was also signed by Attorneys Warren Olney, for the

Salvor brings back party of searchers

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 30.—The steamer Salvor arrived here today, bringing Frank F. Bunker, the survivor of the Valencia wreck who lost his wife and two children in the disaster, and Messrs. Petersen and Leddy, of Seattle, who have been searching for the body of Miss Laura Van Wyck, of San Francisco, without result.

There was one body at Bamfield when the Salvor left, having been brought in by Indians from Frickett Island. It is believed to be that of A. T. Rolph of New Westminster, B. C. The body was taken in charge by Captain Paterson of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, who is taking care of all bodies found for removal to Seattle. There is a thick fog prevailing at the scene of the wreck today.

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Terrific Explosion; Three Instantly Killed.

TIFLIS, Jan. 29, Monday, via St. Petersburg.—The murder today of General Griaznov, chief of the staff of the viceroy of the Caucasus, was most dramatic and audacious.

The assassin evidently had studied the habits of his victim and lay in wait behind the wall of the Alexander Garden, opposite the entrance of the palace, where a carriage was drawn up to take the General for his daily drive.

IMPERSONATED PAINTER. As all suspicious persons are liable to be searched in the streets by the police and military patrols the assassin impersonated a painter, carrying the bomb with which he committed the crime concealed in a paint can.

He was thus able to pass the sentry posted at the gates of the park, and reached his place of ambush without arousing suspicion.

General Griaznov, clad in a crimson uniform and the white lamb's wool shapka, or cap, worn by the viceroy's aide de camp, made a shining target for the crouching assassin when he emerged from the palace.

HIT ON NECK. As the General stepped into the carriage the man sprang on the wall, swung the can by a cord, and the bomb, as if thrown from a sling with marvelous precision, sped straight to the mark and struck the General on the neck. A flash of fire and a terrific explosion followed and Griaznov was literally blown out of the carriage and with his coachman, Cossack orderly and the latter's horse, was instantly killed. A lady who was passing at the time of the explosion was mortally wounded.

DEAD IN MUD. When the correspondent of the Associated Press reached the scene immediately after the tragedy the ghastly dead still lay in the mud.

Griaznov's shapeless body, surrounded by rollers, presented a sickening spectacle. It seemed as if his crimson uniform had melted into the pool of blood in which weltered his head, torn away from the trunk. The General's distracted widow knelt in the blood and mud beside the mutilated body.

ASSASSIN CAUGHT. The assassin had already been caught, beaten into insensibility by the infuriated soldiers, and after being loaded into a drosky was being carried off to the ancient fortress above the city, where, as Tiflis is under martial law, he will probably be executed at dawn.

The most intense excitement followed the assassination, as terrible punishment is meted out by the troops to bomb throwers. The population fled in terror before the Cossacks and other troops who were soon out in force to clear the streets. Shortly before dark a fusillade exchanged between Tartars and Armenians produced a veritable panic, as it was feared that the horror of the recent war between the races had been renewed.

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COMBINATION AUCTION SALE.

Horses, Wagons, Carriages, Furniture, Iron Beds, Ranges, Etc., Friday, February 2, 1906, at 10:30 A. M.

At 421 Eleventh street, near Broadway. Carriages, roadsters, and dray wagons, vehicles of every description, new and second-hand harness, furniture, steel ranges, fifty new iron beds and mattresses, show-cases, fixtures, etc., etc.

NOTE—Horses, carriages, etc., will be received for sale up to 10 A. M. Friday, Jan. 31, 1906.

J. L. LYON, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE.

Elegant stock groceries, Wednesday, January 31, 11 A. M., 2504 Telegraph avenue, corner Dwight way, Berkeley. Consisting of staple and fancy groceries, computing scales, cash register, etc. Desirable notice, as this is a rare chance to get new stock at your own prices.

L. E. BIRD, Auctioneer.

SEATTLE, Jan. 30.—At today's session of the investigation into the loss of the Valencia, C. Allison of St. Paul, a passenger, testified that the sea was not finally battered the Valencia to pieces could not be called high. This testimony caused a mild sensation, as all published accounts of the wreck have described "high seas" and a "terrible surf."

PROSPECTS OF THE FARMERS

Live-Stock Interests of the West Are Discussed.

DENVER, Jan. 30.—With the avowed purpose of reuniting their forces and making a vigorous campaign for federal legislation desired by the live-stock interests of the West, delegates to the ninth annual convention of the National Live-Stock Association and the second annual convention of the American Stock Growers' Association met in joint session today at the Broadway Theater in this city.

Important addresses setting forth the existing conditions in the live-stock industry and the requirements of the stockmen were delivered by Frank J. Hagenbarth, president of the National Association, and Murdo MacKenzie, president of the American Association.

Previous to the meeting of the merged conventions the delegates in separate sessions adopted the plan of consolidation agreed upon by the executive committees of the two organizations. The name chosen for the new organization, embracing all live-stock interests, is the American National Live-Stock Association.

Murdo MacKenzie was elected permanent chairman of the joint convention. Welcoming addresses were made by City Attorney Harry Linsley and Alva Adams, former Governor of Colorado.

Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Federal Bureau of Forestry, delivered a greeting to the stockmen. President Roosevelt, to which John W. Springer of Denver responded.

Frank J. Hagenbarth, president of the National Live-Stock Association, then delivered his annual address. He said:

FIELD AND FLOCK.

"We will look back with pleasure on the year 1905. It has been an unusually kind one to the husbandry of field and flock. Those of us, who are engaged in the business of raising live-stock, cannot enjoy the retrospect with the same degree of comfort as the others. Although physical conditions have been good for cattle and unusually so in the Southwest, it has proven a year of continued low prices. Most of us have come to the conclusion that the depression in the cattle business is not caused by over-production, as is usually the case in fallacious prices of any commodity, but is the result of limitations which have to a large extent deprived us of a market for our product both at home and abroad. It is asserted that the live-stock interests are curbing our consumption of beef and beef products. This, if true, can be accounted for primarily from the fact that many people desiring to give up their habit of eating the so-called beef trust, have decreased their consumption of beef and thus visited their wrath on the producer. Secondly, the high price at which choice cuts of beef are retailed, and which choice cuts supply the greatest beef demand, has a further tendency to decrease the consumption. Thirdly, a large proportion of beef is marketed which is of so inferior a quality as not to be available for home consumption.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

"Our principal foreign markets, with the exception of that of England, are badly demoralized, and available statistics, while showing an increase in the production of cattle the last few years, and an increase of all commodities in our exports, demonstrate the fact that our exports of beef have not only not kept pace with the general increase of exports of other commodities from the United States, but have actually decreased.

"Disheartened by the tremendous losses which have developed, cattlemen generally are inclined to seek other avenues in which they may exercise their energies, rather than await the turn of the year. The tendency throughout the cattle territory is to sell cattle and buy sheep.

This movement cannot but result disastrously to all concerned. In the first place sheep ranges will be overstocked, and overstocking means a poor quality of mutton product, which will in turn decrease the consumption and lower the prices. Feeders throughout the corn belt are inclined to discontinue the feeding of cattle and devote their corn to the market or the fattening of sheep and hogs.

HOG PRODUCTION.

"Hog production cannot stand expansion, for the hog market, though enjoying the most tremendous consumption in history and fairly prosperous, for a year or two past has been hanging on the ragged edge of a decline.

"There is no question whatever but that if the cattle breeders and cattle feeders of the United States should rise in their might and notify Congress that their legitimate markets abroad must be conserved and developed, conditions would be promptly reversed. There is no over-production of cattle; there is an under-consumption, largely caused by artificial agencies.

"The mutton and wool situation presents an entirely different picture. Both are higher than at any time since the Civil War. The high price of wool is largely the result of the strong condition of foreign markets. The high prices of mutton have naturally developed from the increased consumption of that product. This happy state of affairs has largely been brought about by the intelligent education of the public consumption and by proper breeding on the part of growing flocks.

GROWING OF HORSES.

"The growing of horses is again a profitable business. It affords a great field of profitable effort along pleasant and easy lines. In no branch of live-stock breeding is the value of blood more plainly demonstrated than here.

"The development of the goat industry the past year has kept up with the pace set a few years ago and goat raising has taken its place among the permanent industries of the country. There is a strong demand for mohair at long prices and plenty of room in the goat business for new investors.

"Mr. Hagenbarth said that the most telling work of the year had been done in the efforts to secure reciprocity and the readjustment of the relations with the railroads. While contending for a change of the twenty-eight-hour shipping law, Mr. Hagenbarth said a better transportation service should be sought. The losses from shrinkage due to slow running time were greater than from excessive rates.

Concerning the forest reserve and range question, Mr. Hagenbarth said: "The more conservative among us feel that though the present system may be inefficient, still we are accustomed to it and are opposed to ill-considered hasty changes which might bring into disrepute and make unbearable range control or land leasing. While we may have no sympathy with the old cry of 'let it all go,' neither can we subscribe to a policy which does not favor a full co-operation between the government official and the user of the public domain."

Concluding he said:

GOVERNMENT INTEREST.

"Among the requirements necessary for the success of the live-stock business is a more profound interest in its behalf on the part of the government. Our efforts should never cease until a law giving us a biennial census of live-stock be written and should insist on increased appropriations by Congress for the Department of Agriculture for the use of the bureau of animal industry. No other civilized nation gives so little help or assistance to its live-stock as this."

S. H. Cowan of Texas introduced a resolution in support of the bill before Congress to increase the number of hours in which cattle may be kept in cars without unloading from twenty-eight to thirty-six. It was referred to the committee on resolutions.

President MacKenzie was authorized to appoint committees on credentials and resolutions, and the convention adjourned until tomorrow.

At the conclusion of his address, Mr. Hagenbarth nominated Murdo MacKenzie for president of the American National Live-Stock Association for the ensuing year and he was unanimously elected after the convention had voted to suspend the constitution and by-laws for the purpose. Mr. MacKenzie then delivered his annual address as president of the American Stock Growers' Association.

TRUSTEE PARSONS HAS RESIGNED

County Superintendent of Schools T. O. Crawford has received the resignation of I. B. Parsons of Castro Valley as a trustee of Union High School No. 3, at Hayward. Parsons has been active in school work there, and his resignation is received with regret. The fact that he has become agent for the Western Pacific Railway at Hayward is one of the reasons for his resignation, he now having no more time to give to other affairs outside of his work. The vacancy will not be filled until some expression from the board is received at the superintendent's office.

WANT TO GET BACK MONEY

Government Banks Anxious to Handle People's Money.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 30.—An important financial measure, dictated by the drain of the savings banks in consequence of the revolutionary agitation, and the impossibility of competing with the rates of private banks, is announced. It increases by imperial order the rate of interest of the government savings banks from 3.5 to 4 per cent. The government hopes it will have a favorable effect on the re-depositing which has already recommenced.

According to the official statement, the increased deposits in the savings banks for the first half of the Russian January were \$2,500,000, ten times the increase during the similar period of 1905.

At Moscow, according to the Slavo, the depositors of gold are demanding receipts, stating explicitly that their deposits are returnable in the same metal. The banks refuse to do so. The rate of interest was decreased from 4 per cent to 3.5 per cent in 1894, on account of the favorable position of the government, and the low rate of money at that time. An order has also been signed by the Emperor raising the rate paid on deposits in perpetuity in the Imperial Bank from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 per cent.

The rates of exchange are soaring steadily. For drafts on America, private banks are charging as high as 201 roubles per \$100, whereas during the preceding summer the rate was 175.5 roubles per \$100. The official rate of exchange on England now is 95, compared with the December rate of 94.75, but this rate is obtainable only at the Imperial Bank. The unofficial rate on the Bourse is 96.375.

TO BUILD NEW RINK

SYNDICATE LEASES PROPERTY AT FIFTEENTH AND FRANKLIN STREETS.

A syndicate composed of several prominent and professional and financial men of this city has arranged for a lease of the Bacon property, fronting 100 feet on Franklin street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, having the Albany Hotel on one side and the Athens on the other, and is to erect thereon a \$25,000 structure to be used as a skating rink. The rink is to be 100 by 90 feet. The negotiations were completed yesterday.

It is proposed to make the rink strictly first-class in every respect. Special effort will be made to secure the patronage of the smart set. Already an agent is around soliciting the patronage of a number of prominent people.

DUNN ESTATE WANTS TO RECOVER

The trial of a suit brought by the M. M. Dunn estate against A. E. Peck of theater fame, is being tried before Judge W. H. Waste. According to the plaintiff in the action two stores were wanted to Peck in which the future theater was to be housed. Peck was given the privilege of tearing out the partitions between them in order to make room, with the understanding that when the lease expired the stores were to be put back in the same condition as they were before the alterations were made.

With this understanding Peck went ahead and had the partitions removed and the fronts of the stores altered. The stores have now been put back in the same condition they were in prior to the opening. The cost of this work is stated, amounted up to between \$2200 and \$2300, and it is for this sum that the estate is now suing. Peck is contesting the claim, alleging it is too high, and that the alterations between the pair are now being introduced.

HAZER ON TRIAL.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 30.—The court-martial in the case of Richard L. Densmore of Charleston, S. C., charged with having on seven specifications, was begun today. The hazing was alleged to have been done during September last, when Densmore, with others, was compelled to lose a part of his leave on account of deficiency in his studies.

Midshipman William T. Boyd Jr., of Peoria, Ill., a member of the second class, will be put on trial on charges of hazing at the conclusion of the trial of Midshipman Densmore. The specifications under the charge against Boyd are that he hazed Chauncey A. Lucas of New York City, W. C. Koenig of Texas, A. D. Bernhardt of Lawrence, Kansas, John F. Donelson of Findlay, Ohio, and Stanley R. Canine of Llando, Texas.

The hazing included exercises known as the "Sixteenth," the "Crew" and the "Leaning Rest."

MUCH RED PAINT AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Students Paint the Sidewalk During the Early Hours of the Morning.

Friday afternoon the low senior class of the Oakland High school organized by electing Ralph High president of the class. The zeal of class spirit was so strong that they felt that they must do something to show that they were alive, and they acted very foolishly, for last night some sixteen of them met by appointment and went to the High school grounds and using their class color, red, painted December, '06 on the asphaltum of the sidewalk and court.

This morning when Principal Pond arrived at school and saw things as they were, he started an investigation and found from the janitor that the painting had been done early this morning, between 5 and 7 o'clock.

At ten minutes past 9 Mr. Pond called the High school boys out of their recitation and forcibly expressed to them his sentiments and feelings with reference to the matter.

He told them that they had carried their class spirit altogether too far and had disgraced the school.

He then set them to work with black asphaltum paint and by 11 o'clock all the painting that had been so carelessly executed during the hours of the morning was wiped out.

Superintendent McClymonds, president of the board of education, Mr. Pond have carefully looked into the matter to find out who were the ringleaders, and have about settled on three students. Proper punishment will be inflicted.

The one good feature of the whole affair is that the boys were careful not to place the paint on the building proper.

There was evidently no malice in their intent, but for a supreme act of foolishness it certainly was the limit.

EMPLOYERS AND TRAINS ARE IN SMASH-UP

WARM DISCUSSION OVER THE RIGHTS OF HOUSE-SMITHS.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 30.—Great Northern Limited No. 1, west-bound, and passenger train No. 2, east-bound, collided head on on a straight track one mile west of Columbia Falls, Mont., at 10:40 o'clock last night. Two firemen and one express messenger are dead. Their names are:

Landley, fireman.
Wulsbacher, express messenger.
Engineers Hardy and Thierweichter, Conductor Quinn and Mail Clerk W. Arnold were injured. The latter were taken to the hospital at Whitewash, Mont.

None of the passengers were injured and, with the exception of the express cars and engines of each train, no serious damage was done to the trains.

The express cars were so badly smashed that they were taken from the train. Train No. 2 left Columbia Falls on its eastern trip at 11:00 o'clock p. m. and No. 1 was scheduled to leave there at 9 o'clock p. m. (Western time).

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WANT NEW HIGH SCHOOL

PLEASANTON AND SANTA RITA DISTRICTS PLAN FOR A NEW ONE.

LIVERMORE, Jan. 30.—The people of the Pleasanton and Santa Rita School Districts are talking of organizing a high school district. Rumor has it that they will petition to join Union District No. 1 after they have organized.

COMING ENTERTAINMENT.

The town is placarded and banners are stretched across the street, advertising an entertainment for the Fountain Benefit Fund on February 10. The Hayseed Club doubtless will make a success of this affair, as it has of everything else it has undertaken, and the people feel assured that the proposed drinking fountain will be a reality before the advent of summer.

WILL DEBATE.

The Foresters have organized a series of debates for entertainment on lodge nights. The subject of debate at the next meeting is: "Resolved, That Alameda county should be divided."

Speakers on the affirmative are: George Beck, H. L. Camp and Ramon Harrison; negative, M. S. Worden, W. G. Beck and W. J. Holm.

INSTALLED OFFICERS.

Chief Ranger M. G. Callaghan installed the officers of the Foresters' lodge, Wednesday night. They are as follows: P. C. R. W. J. Holm, C. R. C. V. Worth; S. C. R. Andrew Anderson; F. S. E. J. Inman; R. S. William Reese; treasurer, D. A. Smith; W. T. George Bruns; J. W. W. T. T. S. B. Fred Schneider; J. B. Roy Beck; trustee, William Stoenen; lecturer, M. G. Callaghan.

DISPLAY TROPHY.

Captain Inman has placed the Brigade trophy on display in the window of McKown & Mess. Company I of Livermore, and Company B of San Jose are in the competition to secure the trophy.

LIVERMORE ITEMS.

District Deputy Miss Alice Dougherty, accompanied by Misses Mattie Knox and Zylpha Bernal, attended a meeting of the Native Daughters in the latter part of last week.

Rev. Arthur Hicks, at one time pastor of the Presbyterian Church at this point, spent the latter part of last week here visiting friends. Mr. Hicks is now a traveling missionary for the Presbyterian.

BOY IS ACCUSED.

Fred Murray, a 15-year-old boy, is being detained at the city prison on suspicion of having been implicated in the assault on Ye Sing, a Chinese. The Celestial has a hole in his head as the result of being struck with a rock. Murray is charged with an assault with a deadly weapon.

THE SECOND WEEK WITH THE DISCOUNTS

Now you might just as well make up your mind to buy clothing right now as to do it later on. That discount will come in handy—20% off on Men's Suits and Overcoats will save you some ready money and reduce our stock, so we can place our spring purchases. Saturday and yesterday we sold stacks of clothing. We want to sell stacks more. We must do it—it's a case of more room. We are daily in receipt of new spring goods and more room is the cry.

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C. Fuller, proprietor of the Zindo Medical Company, in San Francisco, and his friend, Mr. Van Derg, came down Saturday for a quick shot. They returned home Sunday evening with a fine bag of birds.

Headaches and Neuralgia from Colds. Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide cold and grip remedy removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

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Fancy Norfolk Suits, \$2.65 to \$2.95, at **\$2.15**
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Boys' Knee Pants, 50c Quality **39c**
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TRIAL CONTINUED.

The trial of Mrs. P. J. Martini, proprietor of the Cottage Restaurant on Ninth street, on a charge of battering Miss Myrtle Trinkle, a waitress, was continued this morning by Police Judge Smith until February 14.

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Last Chances at January's Bargains

Now for the wind-up. With the end of January—Wednesday night—ends your opportunity to save money in every department in the house. There are scores of lines of good, clean goods that we are anxious to clean out before the month ends—it's to your interest to help us do it.

Last Chance for Millinery Bargains

Choice of entire remaining stock of the season's Ready-to-Wear Hats; were priced \$2.00 to \$4.50.

Untrimmed Felt Hats

Choice of entire stock of untrimmed Felt Hats; shapes and colors to suit all; regular \$1.00 to \$1.50 lines.

Crepe de Chine

Pure silk warp; in reseda, light blue, cream, tan, black, gray and champagne; reg. 60c values; the remainder of a line that we are closing out.

Clean-up of Fancy Silks

Regular 50c quality; several good colors, in hair stripes, neat figures and changeables.

Two complete lines of White Petticoats

(1)—Soft-finished muslin Petticoats; deep flounce with small ruffle and cluster of tucks; also dust flounce.
(2)—With deep ruffle and three rows of hemstitching and tucks; also dust flounce; regular 75c values.

All Remnants HALF PRICE

Hundreds of remnants of dress goods, silks, velvets, wash goods, draperies, embroideries, etc.

All at one half former price.

Clean-up of broken lines of Handkerchiefs

LOT 1—Broken lines of ladies' and gentlemen's linen initial handkerchiefs; hemstitched; worth 10c and 12½c.

Special 5c

Tennis Gowns

Just as good \$1.25 tennis flannel gowns as were ever made; in solid pink, blue and white, also in pink and blue stripes; choice of a dozen styles; turned with tucks, wash embroidery, braided ruffles, fancy stitching, etc.

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Special lots of Dress and Walking Skirts at.....\$3.50 and \$5.00

Values approach nearly double these figures.

All Cravenette Coats reduced 10 to 30 per cent.

All Tailored Suits reduced 10 to 50 per cent.

All Fancy and Opera Coats reduced from 10 to 40 per cent.

Clean-up of Silk Belts

Special 15c
All that remain—about 10 dozen—of those shirred and plaited silk belts; black, blue, green and white only; regular 50c and 65c values.

Clean-up of Novelty Waistings

—At Half Price
With the exception of a few pieces, the entire stock of novelty waistings has been reduced one half.

50c values—neat stripes, checks and mottled effects.....25c yd

\$1.00 values in imported all-wool novelties.....50c yd

75c values in French Flannel's—not less than 25 good patterns.....38c yd

Clean-up of German Eiderdown Flannels

About fifty pieces of these useful houseworn and kitchen fabrics; light and dark shades; regular 12½c value.

Special 9c

Wrapper Flannels

Special 7 1-2c
Plenty of choice in light or dark patterns; fleece backed; all worth 10c yard; clean out price.....7½c

Free Embroidery Lessons

Each Tuesday from 9:30 a. m. to 4 p. m. Madam Burton will conduct her free lessons in embroidery in the ladies' parlor. All are heartily welcome.

RUSSIAN JEWS ARE HOPELESS

Improvement of the Conditions is Not Anticipated.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 30.—The general Jewish conference called to consider the state of Jews in Russia, formally opened its session here today under the presidency of David Wolfsohn, chairman of the International Zionist committee. In his opening address, President Wolfsohn urged the establishment of an international committee either in Berlin or in London, to watch the interests of the Russian Jews. A motion to that effect went over until a later session.

M. Mandelstam, of Kieff presented a report on the conditions in Russia, from which it was gathered that the Jews had no hopes of an improvement in their status resulting from a revolution or government reforms. The only solution of the problem, according to the report, would be the foundation of a Jewish fatherland.

M. Kohn, of Kishineff said he thought the eventual emigration of all the Jews from Russia was inevitable. He proposed Egypt or Asia Minor as suitable for a Jewish settlement, and advised that all emigration of Jews to the United States or Great Britain be stopped in consequence of the laws against aliens which are in force in those countries.

Delegates from Germany, Austria-Hungary, Great Britain, Russia, France, Italy, Denmark and Argentina are present, but the American delegates have not arrived.

ANOTHER RAILWAY COMING?

Visit of Henry C. Davis Gives Rise to Rumors.

Henry C. Davis of New York, confidential agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, is at the Hotel St. Francis, and his presence in San Francisco has given rise to the story that the Milwaukee road is thinking of extending its system to California. Davis has been taking an active hand in the important preliminary arrangements which the Milwaukee road has been making for its entrance into the State of California. In Seattle and Tacoma, as is well known, the company has acquired extensive terminal facilities fronting on tide water. Millions of dollars have been expended in perfecting these terminal facilities, and Davis has been acting for the Milwaukee road in all of the big land transactions. Among other things, he acquired a home for himself at Tacoma, for the reason that the business which was entrusted to him by President Harding required him to spend most of his time on the Sound. Now Davis has come to San Francisco, and while the fact is not openly admitted, it is said on good authority that his business here is of a nature not unlike that which he has been attending to in the Northwest. In other words, it is said that the Milwaukee road is figuring on entering California. Its terminal at Seattle and Tacoma are not to be its only terminals on the Coast. The rumor is abroad that the company will build through the State to a connection with its transcontinental line somewhere in Idaho, affording the company an outlet on San Francisco bay and enabling it to share in the rich traffic of the Sacramento and other sections of Northern California. President Harding of the Milwaukee road is expected to arrive here in the near future to confer with Davis.

CLEVER LITTLE STORIES.

It was on an Atlantic liner. The clergyman had been compelled to share his stateroom with another man. "After a while," explained the minister, "I began to worry about some valuable I had with me, and at last I took them to the purser, saying, 'I should like to explain to you that I am much pleased with my fellow passenger. That is, I find him a gentleman in every respect, and I wouldn't have you think that my coming to you with these valuables is to be taken—er—er—as any reflection on him.' The purser interrupted me with a broad smile and said, 'Oh, it's all right, sir; your friend has come to me with some valuables of his own, and he said precisely the same thing about yourself!'

A middle-aged Japanese and a Japanese boy stood before a ship's office regarding the globe that revolved in the window. "Do you mean to tell me," said the boy, "that the world is as round as that?" "I do," the man answered. "Then," said the boy, "I can't understand why the people on 'I



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the other side don't fall off." The man sneered. "You fatigue me," he said, wearily. "Well, why is it?" the boy persisted. "Heaven," the man answered, "has given those people common sense, and they hold on."

She was gathering statistics for a temperance society publication. Talking to a druggist, she asked: "Well, now, please tell me how many glasses of beer you drink during the course of a day?" The man took his hat off and scratched his head. "Well, mum," he replied, "I don't know as I can rightly tell you. Some days I 'as about thirty, but—brightening up—on the other hand, some days I 'as quite a lot."

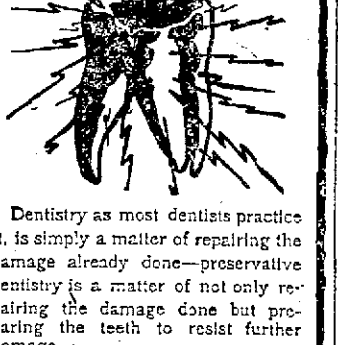
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JOHN A. GRIMES TAKES ISSUE WITH COUNCILMAN BACCHUS.

EDITOR TRIBUNE.—Dear Sir: Reading your article in Saturday's TRIBUNE, and having a different opinion on the subject you speak of, let me ask you a few questions.

Why is there always a large increase in crime wherever there is a large strike? (See police records of any city where there is or was a strike).

Why do labor unions oppose political militia or United States troop protection to property and life wherever there is a strike?

Which is the real independent American citizen, the man who obeys the walking orders of the man who does stand by himself and attends to his own business irrespective of any labor union?

Why do you call labor union men independent, when they are everything but independent, because they can't work unless he is told to work; can't sell his labor for what he wants for it, or to whom he wants to sell it; he can't sell all his time but only so much of it as the union allows him to; he must pay so much per month for the privilege of selling his labor; he must wear a

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC MOTOR CARS

COMPANY INAUGURATES A NEW SYSTEM IN THE SOUTH.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—The Southern Pacific Company has inaugurated upon its suburban lines to Pasadena, Long Beach, San Pedro and other places the use of gasoline motor coaches to take the places of its regular trains made up of locomotives and passenger coaches. The first of the motor cars, which are being manufactured in Omaha, was given an official trial trip over the Long Beach and San Pedro lines, and proved entirely successful.

A number of Southern Pacific officials were passengers on the motor coach and were pleased with the tests. The car was tested to a speed of fifty miles an hour, and it was said that it was possible to make seventy miles an hour by changing the gearing. The use of the motor coaches on interurban lines will enable the steam railroads to offer some sort of competition to the electric lines, which at present practically control all interurban traffic.

The motor car tested has two four-wheel, all-steel trucks, is fifty-five feet long and has a seating capacity of fifty-seven. Weighing 56,000 pounds, it is equipped with a six-cylinder gasoline engine built after a special railroad pattern. The engine has a "make-and-break" spark ignition, with a primary battery for starting and a magnet for regular service.

The line of design of the car body is similar to that of a racing yacht, inverted, the front end of the car being tapered to a sharp point and the roof being rounded off from the top after the style of the whalebacks in use on the Great Lakes. Like the stern of a yacht, the rear of the motor car is rounded off to avoid the vacuum produced by square-end cars.

DECLARES SCIENCE MAY CREATE LIFE

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—That science may create a living organism through artificial means was stated yesterday by Professor Wilhelm Ostwald of the University of Leipzig. In a lecture at Columbia University, Ostwald is one of Europe's famous scientists.

"Science is young," he said. "Some of the greatest of chemistry branches are not more than twenty years old. We cannot explain fully the fact of life, but I should not be surprised if some kind of artificial organism could be made by scientists which could feed itself and reproduce itself. After all, a living thing is nothing but a system of energy, and life is but a matter of chemistry."

Professor Ostwald's views are in line with experiments made by Professor Jacques Loeb of the University of California in creating a living organism resembling the sea urchin.

MAY BE A VICTIM.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Jan. 30.—I. J. Bruer, a pioneer merchant of Bancroft, is believed to have been lost in the wreck of the Valencia, off Vancouver Island. Mr. Bruer had written his family that he intended to sail on the ill-fated steamer, and nothing has since been heard from him. His family believes he has been lost.

CARD PARTIES IN POPULAR FAVOR

Number of Delightful Affairs Are Planned for Afternoon and Evening.

The members of the Home Club will entertain next Thursday evening at an elaborate card party to be given at the picturesque clubhouse in East Oakland.

The club had canceled all programs for January, out of respect to the late Mrs. F. M. Smith, and the card party on Thursday evening is really the first important event of the year.

Whist, five hundred and bridge for those who care to play are announced for Thursday evening.

Those in charge of the affair include, besides the members of the board, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. J. Cotton and Mrs. George B. M. Gray.

Other events during the month at the club are as follows:

Tuesday, February 6—University Extension conducted by Professor H. Morse Stephens; 7:30 p. m., class in History; 8:30 p. m., lecture, subject, "The First of Modern Historians: Edward Gibbon."

Thursday, February 8—Regular meeting of board; election of nominating committee.

Thursday, February 15, 10 a. m.—Business meeting, 12 m.; luncheon, Mrs. Drake East, presiding hostess; reception committee, Mrs. Burnham, Miss Marion Goodfellow, Mrs. B. F. Weston.

Tuesday, February 20—University Extension conducted by Professor H. Morse Stephens; 7:30 p. m., class in History; 8:30 p. m., lecture, subject, "The Philosophic Historians, Guizot, Grote and Carlyle."

ADELPHIAN CLUB.

The Adelpian Club of Alameda announces one of the interesting programs of the year for next Saturday afternoon at the rooms in Alameda when Mrs. Will A. Madden's play will be presented, "A Princess in Poverty Place."

Mrs. Madden is a clever playwright and her interest in sociological conditions furnishes the motif for several of her excellent dramas.

The complete program for Saturday is as follows:

Two Trolleys (Rossina), Trauere (Schumann), by "Cap and Bell" Mendenhall and Guller Club; Elsie Tucker, director. "A Princess in Poverty Place," a play by Mrs. Madden. Characters: Yasuki, a vaudeville artist, Miss Dolly Chapman; Barbara, a shop girl, Miss Mabel Madden; Child, a wail in Poverty Place, Vivian Strabridge; Allen, a society girl, Miss Josephine Cohen; Goolie, her chambermaid, Mrs. James Martin.

AT BYRON.

Following are the arrivals at Byron Hot Springs during the past week:

A. E. Thompson, Dr. F. O. Williams, Judge A. L. Peck, J. Pantosky, T. M. Cerdil, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomson, Hugo Abrahamson, G. Mosbacher, Miss Redner, M. C. Gargus, Franz Loebel, Paul Goldsmith. The following from Alameda: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow, W. E. Peters, A. E. St. Sura. The following from Berkeley: W. R. Sarvis and Miss Rena Sarvis, H. Van Prooyen, C. A. Davis.

BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. Joseph Anderson Chasler entertained today at an enjoyable bridge party given at her home across the bay.

Among the players were: Mrs. C. O. G. Miller, Mrs. James Pollis, Mrs. Latham McCallin, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. George de Golia, Mrs. Charles B. Parcells, Mrs. Frank Parcells, Mrs. Frederic Wilson Kimble, Mrs. W. F. Porter, Mrs. Silas Palmer, Mrs. Mord.

"JOHNNIES" AT ZION CITY

MUST NOT FLIRT WITH CHOIR

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Overseer Spelcher at Zion City, who has been occupying Dowie's pulpit in the absence of the "apostle," preached a sermon the other day which caused consternation among the younger members of his congregation. Among other things on which he put his oratorical ban are these:

Flirting at the entrance to the tabernacle. Indulgence in liquor.

Zion City "Johnnies" took warning when the overseer said: "I am tired of this hanging about the entrance to the tabernacle on the evenings of choir rehearsals. I know what that means. You men are afraid to come inside into the light."

Those among the "elect" who had broken their New Year resolutions took heart when the overseer added:

"We can't enforce prohibition of the liquor traffic until we have a substitute. Take the Mohammedans, for instance; they are the greatest abstainers on earth, but they have no equal in licentiousness."

"Cast out one devil and seven will take its place, unless you have something to offer in its place," he concluded.

A cablegram was read from Dowie, who is sojourning on an island near Kingston, Jamaica. It read:

"Have had a splendid week. Am sleeping eight hours a day. The change is doing lots of good. Gladstone will soon be at Zion. Mizpah. DOWIE."

Private advices from Jamaica to members of Dowie's inner circle brought the news yesterday that Mrs. Dowie, who was at first thought very ill, is convalescent.



MRS. GERRITT LIVINGSTON LANSING, WHO IS ENTERTAINING AT A SERIES OF CARD PARTIES.

mer Fleishacker, Mrs. Willard Wayman, Mrs. John Grant Sutton, Mrs. Charles Youngberg, Mrs. Thomas Benton Darragh, Mrs. Gustavus Boyer, Mrs. La Boyeaux, Mrs. Mansfield Lovell, Mrs. William Watt, Mrs. Frank Moore, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. Frederick Jacobs, Mrs. A. C. Luck, Mrs. Howard Morrow, Mrs. Gray, Miss Elizabeth Gray, Miss Lovell, Miss Jane Whishire, Mrs. Lucratic Burnham, Miss Emma Mahoney, Miss Dyer and Miss Leola Allen.

AT RECEPTION.

The "first night" at the Alcazar of Richard Walton Tully's college play, "The Strenuous Life," called out an appreciative audience, and the clever young playwright was called twice before the curtain.

The audience included a large number of Oakland people, and the fraternity boys from Berkeley gave their old favorite a hearty welcome.

A reception for Mr. and Mrs. Tully at the University Club followed the play.

CARD PARTY.

The five hundred party at which Miss Jessie Craig will entertain tomorrow afternoon will include about fifty young people. The honored guest will be Mrs. George Frederick Emanuel, and the card party will be one of the elaborate affairs of the month.

Miss Craig will be assisted in receiving her guests by Miss Carmen Sutton, Miss Letitia Barry, Miss Ann McEllen, Miss Pearl Judson of San Francisco, Miss Carolyn Palmanter, Mrs. Hiram Reed, Miss Clarissa Lohs, Miss Lillian Reed, Mrs. William L. Pattison, Miss Cornelia Stratton, Miss Marion Walsh, Miss Elsa Schilling, Miss Irene Bangs, Miss Gladys Wickson, Miss Jessie Fox, Miss Katherine Brown and Miss Louise Hall.

The guest list numbers Miss Bessie Reed, Miss Ruth Houghton, Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Rose Kales, Miss Sevilla Hayden, Miss Clara English, Miss Myrtle Sims, Miss Ethel Sims, Miss Effie Frederic Wilson Kimble, Mrs. W. F. Porter, Mrs. Silas Palmer, Mrs. Mord.

Mary Downey, Miss Bessie, Filmore.

Among the players were: Mrs. C. O. G. Miller, Mrs. James Pollis, Mrs. Latham McCallin, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. George de Golia, Mrs. Charles B. Parcells, Mrs. Frank Parcells, Mrs. Frederic Wilson Kimble, Mrs. W. F. Porter, Mrs. Silas Palmer, Mrs. Mord.

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Miss Edith Beck, Miss May Coogan, Miss Anita Thomson, Miss Noelle de Golia, Mrs. William H. Jordan Jr., Miss Bonnie Downing, Mrs. Benjamin Edgar, Miss Marguerite Taylor, Miss Varina Morrow, Miss Beulah Brigham, Miss Ida Pattison, Miss Arline Johnson, Miss Rae Morrow, Miss Martha Coffin, Miss Ethel Crellin, Miss Marion Goodfellow, Mrs. Hugh Goodfellow, Mrs. Traylor Bell, Mrs. Herbert L. Dungan, Mrs. George Chasas, Miss Ethel Wade, Miss Elsa Ames and Miss Virginia von Loben Sels.

EBELL CLUB.

The choral section of Ebell entertained at a delightful musicale given this afternoon at the clubrooms.

The rooms were effectively decorated under the direction of the following committee: Mrs. Welles Whitmore, chairman, assisted by Mrs. R. A. Perry, Mrs. F. E. Ogden and Mrs. J. Walter Scott.

Mrs. William Morris is curator of this section, with Mrs. T. G. Harrison as assistant curator. The ladies were assisted by the Harmony quartet of San Francisco, including Mrs. A. F. Fletcher, Mrs. John Madden, Miss Mabel Gordon, Mrs. Robert Lloyd.

The program was as follows:

1. Snowdrops Dorn-Platte

2. Kyrie to Night, Beethoven-Spicer

3. Aria—"My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" Saint Saens

Mrs. A. E. Nash.

4. By Moonlight Max Spicer

5. Harmony Quartet

6. The Moths G. Falcoi

7. Piano solo

Mrs. A. C. Lewis.

8. "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes" J. H. Rodgers

9. Peasant's Wedding March A. Sodermann

The receiving party this afternoon included Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. J. B. Hume, Mrs. M. C. Chapman, Mrs. John Bakwell, Mrs. E. H. Benjamin, Miss Eva Powell, Mrs. William R. Davis, Miss Jennie Hill, Mrs. S. J. Taylor, Mrs. Gordon Stolp, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. M. F. Jordan, Mrs. J. C. McClymonds, Miss Grace Burrell, Mrs. J. G. Lynch, Mrs. F. B. Ogden, Miss Pauline Collins, Mrs. E. F. Wells, Mrs. E. C. Timmerman.

AFTERNOON RECEPTION.

Mrs. Murray Orrick is sending out cards for a large reception to be given Thursday afternoon, February 8, at her East Oakland home.

The complimented guests are Miss Alice Sullivan, of San Francisco; Miss Dunn, of Boston; Mrs. Benjamin Edger.

AT THE CONCERT.

The Alhambra was crowded to the doors Saturday afternoon at the last Calve concert, and among those from this side of the bay were Mrs. Oscar Luning, Mrs. John F. Connors, Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Miss Florine Brown, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Miss Dorothy and Miss Phyllis Capwell and many others.

"MONNA VANNA."

The Ebell clubrooms were crowded to the doors last evening when Margaret Barry, artiste and interpreter of

literature, gave her famous rendition of Materlinck's great play, "Monna Vanna." With a magnetic personality, and gifted with unusual power and temperament, Madame Barry has added years of earnest study to her great natural gifts, and stands today at the head of her profession, the greatest interpreter of the day. With delicate intuitive perception, and the art of a mature mind, the artiste tells the subtle story of love and sacrifice in her own delightful, individual, convincing way. To the most ordinary mind she interprets the great teacher, and carries her audience with her from the first musical tone to the last climax of the play.

The audience which crowded Ebell last evening included society people from both sides of the bay, and many others well known in the dramatic and musical world.

It will be of great interest to learn that Madame Barry will give a Shakespearean evening at the clubrooms on Tuesday evening, February 18, for the benefit of the Social Settlement.

LINEN SHOWER.

Miss Alzadia Morris of Golden Gate was hostess Saturday afternoon at a linen shower for Miss Nellie Cane. After a game of five hundred, the prize went to Mrs. Alfred Cane.

The guests included Mrs. C. R. Morris, Mrs. C. E. Hildebrand, Mrs. C. Wendel, Mrs. Will Gilmore, Mrs. Alfred Cane, Miss Nellie Cane, Miss Alice Reynolds, Miss Henrietta Kruse and Miss Minnie Knight.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Mrs. L. C. Tucker was the recipient Friday evening of a delightful surprise party, planned by her friends to celebrate her birthday. The young people of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Fourth Congregational Church succeeded in planning a complete surprise for their friend and associate.

Music, games and a supper concluded a pleasant evening. The guests included Miss Anna Jones, Miss Olga Holmstrom, Miss Ethel Schnitzler, Miss Jennie Fraudesen, Miss Cora Jones, Miss Elba Keeler, Miss Florence Merritt, Miss Fletcher, Miss Louise Sanderson, Miss Edna Smith, Miss Stratton, Miss Maddy Tucker, Miss Zoe Harris, Messrs. E. C. Gilbert, Charles Clavage, Joseph Rye, Lawrence McBride, Clarence Baundine, Cliffee Culver, Herbert Dickey, Henry Holstrom, George Keeler, Ward Smith, James Shaw, Harold Gear and Mr. Miller.

AT HOME.

Mrs. Frank H. Kerrigan (Miss Jessie McNab) has sent out cards for the first and second Fridays in February at her home on Clay street.

FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Miss Cornelia Campbell, whose marriage to Harry Yezell takes place shortly, has been the motif for several pleasant affairs. Captain and Mrs. J. C. Cantwell gave a luncheon in her honor today on board the revenue cutter McCulloch. Miss Josephine Cuddy will entertain tomorrow for the same guest of honor.

VALENTINE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. J. Lorain Pease will entertain at a "valentine luncheon" in compliment to Miss Ada Brown, whose engagement to Dr. Earle Stone was a recent announcement.

A dozen guests will enjoy the informal affair.

LUNCHEON HOSTESS.

Miss Carolyn Palmanter is another hostess who is planning a luncheon to take place on Friday, February 8. A dozen guests are invited.

STORK'S VISIT.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mauvals are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a small son, who is called Hampton Mauvals.

PERSONALS.

C. G. Wilcox, of Oakland, is in Visalia on business.

Miss Hazel Eccleston returned recently to this city from the Willows.

Mrs. Clara Stearns is visiting in Santa Cruz.

J. W. Wenner, a former business man of Santa Cruz, is there on a short visit.

Alex Rosborough, of Yreka, arrived in this city recently for the purpose of organizing the company supplying the funds for the new Yreka Railroad.

Mrs. J. R. Preston, of this city, is visiting friends in Oakville.

H. F. Deaneer, of Oroville, the well-known piano tuner, has been delayed in his return to Yreka on account of illness, but will soon be able to return.

H. V. Blasdel, of this city, is in Santa Rosa, transacting business for the Union Pacific Railroad Company.

STRAY CAT SAVES SLEEPING FAMILY FROM HORRIBLE DEATH



SPUNK, THE STRAY CAT, AND HOW IT SAVED A FAMILY.

Jumps on Child's Bed When Gas Fills Room.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Seven-year-old Harry Steinhil is the bright particular star around the corner of Eighth avenue and Forty-third street. Even the dogs and cats in the neighborhood know him, for he always stops to pet them. Thereby hangs the tale of how Spunk, a common neighborhood cat, saved the Steinhil family from death. Night before last Harry Steinhil saw Spunk slinking along between the trucks in the street and promptly rescued him for a romp in the Steinhil kitchen.

After supper the cat sneaked under the gas range and stretched out for a warm sleep in a dry nook. Little Harry, with sticks in his weary eyes, climbed upstairs to bed.

There are eight members of the family, six of them children. Harry is the baby. Because it was a drear night the gas was left burning in one jet of the range to keep the house warm. In the morning Spunk woke up early and took a turn around the kitchen hoping to find something to eat. Just then the gas went out in the range.

GAS BEGINS TO FLOW.

The gas began to flow into the room and Spunk was frightened at the uncanny smell. A moment later little Harry cuddled up in his bed upstairs with the doors all open into the kitchen felt something land on the bed with a bounce, and a second later the soft purring nose of Spunk was nudging his chin.

Harry sat up with a scream of fright that brought his father and mother into the room in their night clothes.

Spunk was also sitting up in bed looking excited.

"The cat jumped on the bed and frightened me!" said Harry.

Just then Mr. Steinhil smelled the gas pouring up the stairway and ran downstairs and ran down to investigate. The kitchen was stifling with the odor, and the man hastily threw up the windows.

Patrolman Hemst, of the West Forty-seventh Street Station, heard the gas banging up and ran up, suspecting burglary. One look into the kitchen and a sniff and he ran out to call an ambulance from Roosevelt Hospital. There was nothing for the surgeon to do, however.

"Spunk can stay with us as long as he lives," said Mrs. Steinhil yesterday.

MOTHER HURLS CHILD FROM RUNAWAY

REDLANDS, Cal., Jan. 30.—In sheer fright and desperation, with a screaming child in her arms and trying to stop a runaway horse, Mrs. George Schae threw her little three-year-old son, Norman, out of the carriage into the bushes by the roadside, thinking that his chances were there better than in a carriage behind a horse crazy with fright. With much courage Mrs. Schae succeeded in her effort to quiet the animal. She immediately returned to the little one to find him badly scratched and bruised, but yelling lustily, thus evincing the fact that his injuries were not serious.

DEMANDS \$1000 FOR BEING HUGGED

BUFFALO, Jan. 30.—William P. Baker, a chattel mortgage broker and real estate dealer of Niagara Falls, is the defendant in a suit brought by Mrs. Alice E. Taylor of No. 126 Lock street, Hamilton, Ontario, to recover \$1000 damages alleged to have been inflicted upon Mrs. Taylor by Baker in an attempt on the part of Baker to "press, hug and kiss" Mrs. Taylor "against her will and protests."

Mrs. Taylor made an affidavit to the effect that the pressing, hugging and kissing continued for a minute or two, or until Baker learned that there was a boarder in the Taylor house. Then Baker went away. The papers in the case have been filed here, Mrs. Taylor is not living with her husband, who formerly was connected with the International Paper Company.

GIRL MISSIONARY "SHINES" AS A BOOT BLACK ARTIST

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—A notable specimen of the genus "new woman" has just struck Los Angeles.

This personage combines the occupations or professions of:

A teacher in colored schools. An exhorter, fully licensed, to Zion A. M. E. Churches.

A nurse, with credentials, to the afflicted.

A missionary to Liberia, sent out by the American Missionary Board, and with ten years' experience in Darkest Africa.

A real estate agent, and A first-class bootblack—there's where she shines!

Miss Ellen Corinne Berkeley is this "new woman," and she has opened a bootblack stand at Front and San Pedro streets.

This is but a means to an end, says the woman bootblack. She is bound to return to Monrovia, Liberia, where her "mission" lies, she says; and the nickels and dimes which come to her in shining shoes she declares are to be used to pay her passage back to the land of her forebears.

"My heart is in the African mission work, and I must go back," says Miss Berkeley, as she industriously shoves the bristle brushes.

"Is there anything to be ashamed of in my doing this work, if I do it well?" she asks.

"I am here because my physician says it is best for me to remain in Southern California this winter, and that I must live out of doors. Of course, I could do housework, and I can cook

I tell you, with the best woman in the South; I might get work in half a dozen different lines of employment; but they all require that I be inside of buildings, and I must live in the open air.

"At this work I can make my expenses and a little more, which I am saving to carry me back to Africa just as soon as my health will permit."

Ellen Berkeley has an interesting history. She was educated in one of the church mission schools of the South. Her native place is Lousburg, N. C. At an early age the girl showed much interest in religious matters, and when only nine years old she was licensed an exhorter by the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church.

Bishop Small, who died last January, was appointed her guardian, and under his direction the little girl visited many of the churches of his denomination. The sight of this childish personage preaching the gospel caused much interest, and it is said many persons flocked to meetings, and large revivals were noted throughout the Southern States among the negroes.

In 1898 Miss Berkeley was ordained a missionary, and was sent out to Liberia by the American Board of Missions—the only colored person at that time in the Liberian mission work.

She went to Monrovia, and from there worked back into the interior, laboring until her health failed. She then obtained leave to return to America, and went back to North Carolina, where she assisted in the schools for colored people.

MRS. CHADWICK MUST DO WASHING IN OHIO PRISON

COLUMBUS, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, who dazzled society during her meteoric career as a "financier," will soon be doing washing in an Ohio penitentiary. She has just begun a ten-year sentence for conspiracy to wreck the Citizens' National Bank of Oberlin.

The prison officials are sceptical as to her reported illness. They say she will be treated as any other prisoner in the female department. They think the reports that she has heart trouble are groundless, and if an examination proves they are right she will be put to heavy work. If not, she will be placed in the sewing department.

No special preparations were made in the woman's department of the prison for the reception of Mrs. Chadwick, and she was compelled to sleep on a cot in the corridor of the prison, as the woman's department is filled and every bed is occupied.

The prison officials say they are firm in the belief that Mrs. Chadwick is Mme. Devere. After she had filed her name with the clerk, the following entry was made in the book at the prison:

"Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, alias Mme. Devere, ten years; conspiring to wreck a National Bank; Cuyahoga County; received January 12, 1906; expires January 12, 1916; good time, November, 1912."

GIRL TEACHER WHIPS BOYS AND THEIR FATHER

LISBON, Ohio, Jan. 30.—When it comes to downright proficiency in the manly art of boxing Miss Elvira Heston can give pointers to all the big overgrown boys in the near-by country school over which she presides, and she has also proved her ability to hold her own against their fathers.

The Friday before Christmas Miss Hester trounced a whole family, each member of which was large and husky enough to be used as a breakfast food advertisement, and she made so little of it that the bout would never have become public if it had not been brought to her attention that the injured father intended to have her arrested.

Upon hearing this the school teacher went to the office of a justice of the peace and had the farmer put under bail to keep the peace.

Two sons of Boston Swaney, an influential farmer, were among her pupils.

When she ordered the younger Swaney to change his seat and the elder Swaney said, "Aw, donchudwit!" thereby inciting the younger boy to open mutiny, there was nothing for it but a trial of strength.

One spring brought the teacher to the desk of the younger Swaney. She fastened her right hand on the back of his coat collar, and, although he held to the sides of the seat with all his might, she pulled him out into the aisle and trounced him soundly. Then she thrashed the big brother.

The Swaneys went home at noon and returning later in the afternoon said triumphantly:

"Pa said you were to give us our books, and he'll see about this later."

Miss Heston refused to give up the books. After she had dismissed school for the day and was banking the fire for the night, Farmer Swaney appeared and demanded his son's books, which she again refused to surrender.

The teacher says that Swaney slapped her face. At all events, she made a tight swing for the farmer's face, which hurt her hand. Then she picked up the poker and broke Swaney's nose. He bolted for the door and the teacher followed, overtaking him in the road, where she knocked him down, with the poker, fracturing his jaw and beating him until he begged for mercy.

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WRITTEN BY EXPERTS AND EDITED BY EDDIE SMITH

"SLATS" DAVIS MAY NEVER ACT IN THIS LEAGUE AGAIN

BY VAN.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—Tim Flood has been reinstated and the tip is out that the unrepentant Slats Davis has umpired his last game of ball on the Pacific Coast. Fine business! Give 'em the other barrel!

President Bert did a lot of quiet Sber-looking before he made up his mind about that Davis-Flood affair. He probably stumbled on the real facts of the case, which as yet have never been printed, and never should be. Davis richly deserved all he got, and more—the only pity is that Flood so far forgot himself as to fight on the diamond. A meeting between the men was inevitable; the players all knew it and the friends of both men knew it. They expected it would come after the end of the season. Davis had said and done things which Flood could not allow to go unchallenged.

TIM MUST WALK SOFTLY.

Flood made a serious mistake, and one which might have cost him his future as a professional baseball player. He is a brilliant player, and one who could be spared. He cannot be too grateful to the men who restored his means of making a living, and if he ever offends again he will stamp himself as an unrepentant fellow. His future is in his own hands. Flood should walk very softly and avoid argument. And if I know the man at all, he will try very hard to do the right thing.

For Davis a few parting words: He was the most able umpire the Coast has ever had. Nothing like his first few weeks' work here has ever been seen in

INTERCOLLEGIATE BASEBALL GAMES MAY BE ABOLISHED

BERKELEY, Jan. 30.—A thunder-bolt has fallen in athletic circles of the University of California by the announcement of Colonel Edwards, chairman of the Committee on Intercollegiate Sports, that the baseball contests between Stanford and California may be abolished.

The athletic world has been stirred up by the charges of professionalism in the ranks of football players, and by the attempts made to revolutionize the sport on account of the alleged unprofessionalism and brutality of the players. There is far more professionalism in baseball than in football.

LAW MAY STOP PRIZE FIGHTS IN LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—Mayor McAlister has combined the services of the city law department and police department with a view of calling a halt on prize fights in Los Angeles.

The prosecuting attorneys at police headquarters are engaged in reading law books and policemen are speedily assigned to observe carefully what occurs within the ropes at each exhibition of skill in the manly art.

Friday afternoon the Mayor went to police headquarters and had a long conference with Police Captain Broadhead and the prosecuting attorney as to what he should do about the Solomon-Green fight. As a result of this conference an

BOWLING BALLS PROVE AN EXPENSIVE ARTICLE

Wooden bowling balls are becoming scarcer and dearer every year.

West Indies lignum vitae, from which the balls are manufactured, is worth from \$75 to \$100 a ton, and the price is stiffening.

When the logs are received here they are cut in cube-shaped blocks and then seasoned. So great has the demand become that the spheres are turned when

PHOENIX WALLOP FAST MONTEREY BALL TEAM

St. Mary's Phoenix team took in Monterey on its return from Stanford, and on Sunday walloped that fast team by 5 to 2.

Monterey had several well-known players on the line-up. McKel, who recently twirled for San Jose and who has signed with Portland, was on the Monterey mound; Emmet Schofield and Oscar Westenberg, at one time Phoenix men, occupied first and short respectively, while in the outer garden were Shute of San Jose and Smith, a Texas League man.

The Phoenix played phenomenal ball at Monterey. Henna was brilliant at third, while Haley in center field performed with the agility of a winged celestial. He completed a double play to first and achieved a feat that few have

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On Sale at All First-Class Places.

CRACKERJACK FIGHTS FOR FANS OF LOS ANGELES

Burns-Hart Go to Follow Herrera-Herman Bout.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—Now that Joe Green and Kid Solomon have been tagged with the Indian sign so far as their careers as fighters in this city are concerned, and Al Kaufmann has disposed of Dave Barry, the ring enthusiasts will have a chance to turn their attention to the next events on the card. Kid Hermann and Aurelio Herrera are slated to come together on the 9th of next month, and a couple of weeks later Marvin Hart and Tommy Burns will amuse themselves with the gloves.

Because the winner of the Hermann-Herrera bout has been promised a go with Battling Nelson the fight is attracting attention all over the country and the lightweights find themselves very much in the spot. Herrera's defeat of young Corbett raised the Mexican's stock a hundred per cent, and when Hermann whipped Eddie Hanlon the Calango boy found himself the idol of the local fans.

Herrera returned from Bakersfield Friday and yesterday he commenced the grind of training for the battle with Hermann. The Mexican knows that he has a hard job cut out for him when he faces the other boy, and he is going to work as he never did before.

Herrmann has been training for some time, and from now on he will condition himself in speed and endurance. The stocky Chicago lad will have no trouble in making the weight and will not bother himself with the story the scales have to tell.

Marvin Hart is training at Santa Monica and inhabitants of the beach town are daily treated to the spectacle of the big Kentuckian tearing up the beach on his five-mile constitutional. Tommy Ryan and Jack Curley are di-recting things at the Hart camp, and Marvin is fast rounding to for his coming battle.

Hart's next opponent, Tommy Burns, has been training for some time at Long Beach gymnasium along with Al Kaufmann and the rest of the fighters who make that place their headquarters. Burns claims improvement in his boxing since he hit the scales at any figure he cares to make.



TOMMY BURNS, WHO MEETS MARVIN HART AT LOS ANGELES NEXT WEEK.

WOMEN GOLF ON LOCAL LINKS

The women of the Claremont Country Club gave an eighteen-hole invitational golf tournament yesterday at medal play under handicap conditions. Those who had participated in the championship event last week were invited to compete, and the tournament developed some interesting play.

The players from Southern California have not yet departed, and all three were on hand to compete. None of them succeeded in capturing the prizes, however.

Mrs. J. R. Clark, of the San Francisco Golf and Country Club, made the best net score of the day.

The handicappers treated her rather generously when they allowed her eleven strokes on the morning of Saturday. In the team match last Saturday, but Miss Ives had the tie to spare when the scores of the contestants were reckoned. Miss Ives' score of 104 was the third best of the day. Her net score was 93. Second day, when she was the only stroke handicap of 13, was but one stroke behind Miss Ives on the net score. Miss Tibbets, who showed considerable improvement over her recent form, was a head on the net score.

Mrs. J. R. Clark, who turned in a gross score of 100 for the eighteen holes, took the third prize, with a net score of 95. Mrs. Clark played remarkably good golf as her gross score was but two strokes more than that of Mrs. R. G. Brown, the State champion. The latter, of course, played from scratch, and her gross and net score was 98.

MRS. SHERWOOD SCRATCH.

Mrs. H. H. Sherwood, of the Claremont Country Club, also played from scratch, and put up a fairly good article of golf, completing the eighteen holes in 101.

Miss Alice Eager, of the San Francisco Golf and Country Club, the only other scratch player, continued to be in poor form. She only made the two rounds in 117.

The weather was ideal for the sport yesterday, and the handicapping proved the best in some time.

BASEBALL.

Pacific Coast League cast-offs tried ball playing in the gold district of Nevada. The high altitude soon sent the argonauts back to the coast.

President Bullman says let the rules alone. He believes that the foul strike is a good thing, and should not be touched.

Dinsen, the Boston Americans' big pitcher, is not satisfied with the terms in his contract, and declares that he will never sign.

Jack Stahl thinks that soccer will crowd football from the colleges. Jake was a pigskin player while a student at Illinois.

Patsy Donovan says that Dick Pad-den turned more tricks in running the bases than any other player in the League.

Hanlon has signed pitcher Hartford, of Somerville College, a small Massachusetts institution, for the Reds. He is a tall youth, who can hit as well as pitch.

Hunter Hill, who was shoved off the Washington Club by Lave Cross, has signed with Buffalo.

Frank Isbell, Fielder Jones' man Friday, is playing on an indoor baseball team in Kansas City.

TRIBUNE THE ONLY PAPER ABOUT THE BAY TO SUCCESSFULLY PICK WINNER OF BURNS

The Burns handicap at Emeryville was the topic of the day last Saturday.

After it was over, and ever since, the main subject for discussion has been the fact that THE TRIBUNE WAS THE ONLY PAPER ABOUT THE BAY TO SUCCESSFULLY PICK THE WINNER OF THAT GREAT RACE.

Sportsmen hereabout are loud in their praise of THE TRIBUNE's tips and the value of its racing information, as demonstrated from day to day. The fact that of all the supposed expert writers on the various papers of this vicinity, THE TRIBUNE's authority was the only reliable one, has brought a comment to the lips of every sporting man on the streets of Oakland and San Francisco.

A fair sample of the accurate work of THE TRIBUNE'S "clocker" is shown by the balance of the results on Saturday's card. FOUR WINNERS WERE NAMED, including that of the Burns, besides several for second and third place.

These were the winners picked by THE TRIBUNE: Second race, Orchan; third race, Sir Wilfred; fourth race (Burns handicap), Dr. Leggo, Proper being placed third; sixth race, Fireball.

OUTSIDERS IN CANADA CHAMP MONEY AT ASCOT

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—The race for maiden two-year-old fillies, first on the card at Ascot yesterday, had several hot things. The winner turned up in Wernberg's brown filly Hand-maiden, daughter of Handsome, who closed at 8 to 1, after being as high as 30 to 1 at one time. Roxie Angarola's Queen Knight played from 10 to 3, got the place by a head from Josie S., also played from 20 to 10. The favorites, Early Flower and the Griffin entry, were never prominent.

Dr. Hollis, a slight favorite at 3 to 2, won the three-year-old event by a head from Hester W. and four others.

Stoessel, at 11 to 1, captured the mile-and-fifty-yards selling race in a gallop. It cost Owner Walker \$200 to retain Monckie Mabel, who, at 5 to 1, finally graduated.

Jockey Preston was fined \$50 for cutting across the field at the start, ruining the chances of Evelyn Griffin, played from 9 to 5 to even money, other to Jimmy Gardner, March 17, 1904. He will meet any man in his class at from 132 to 135 pounds, and class at from 132 to 135 pounds, and class at from 132 to 135 pounds, and class at from 132 to 135 pounds.

Weather clear; track fast.

PUGILISM.

Jack O'Brien, with a strongly qualified if, agrees to meet Gus Ruhlin, and the big German is a happy over a chance to win a meal ticket.

Tommy Mowatt's knockout at the hands of Tommy Murphy was a serious blow for the fighting conductor. He had been promised a fight in Frisco, but the club canceled Mowatt when it heard of the knock-out.

Foney Melody and Buddy Ryan, who fought many ring battles, will likely meet again in Chelsea, Mass.

"BULL" PERRINE TO ANNOUNCE FIGHTS AT RELIANCE CLUB

The Reliance Club has an "added starter" to its already long list of stars for the opening boxing entertainment to be held next Friday night. Fred "Bull" Perrine will make his initial appearance as an announcer; he has been selected to act as master of ceremonies, and it is needless to say that the popular baseball umpire will make a big hit.

The hall players will all be there to see if "Bull" can introduce the boxers as well as he can say "Five for you." Buck Devereaux has already signified his intention of being at the ring-side to see "Bully" Jordan of Oakland make his debut.

The seats were placed on sale at Devereaux's cigar stand this morning, and, judging from the demand for reserved seats, the club will have a larger crowd than was expected. However, to avoid any misunderstanding regarding the seats the club has secured the services of experienced ushers, who will see that everyone gets the seat that his coupon calls for. It is the intention of those in charge to adhere strictly to this rule, despite past violations elsewhere, and regardless of who it may be, if he is sitting in a chair that someone has a coupon for, he will be compelled to vacate it for the holder of the coupon.

The boxers have sent word that they are in fine condition and anxiously awaiting the time to start. Henry League and Charlie Dunn, who will furnish the main event, both declare that they never were better trained for a hard contest.

J. Jones is working every evening for his fight with young Gault, and Gault, who will need to be at his best or he will knock him out before the four rounds are over. J. Hicker vs. Ed Carter, Kid Foster vs. J. Evans, Eddie Munser vs. F. Meil, and J. Crowe vs. W. Edwards make up the rest of the card, so with these boys in the condition they claim to have achieved there should be something doing all the time Friday night.

SUTTON FAMILY GINETTE WINS OUT FOR A MONOPOLY FOR FIRST TIME

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—A deep, dark plot has been hatched in the Sutton family, of which May Sutton, the tennis champion of England and nearly everywhere else, is a member. It is nothing less than to capture all the important tennis championships of the world and hold them in the family.

Miss May knows that while she could probably win all the championships of the world, she could not defend them for lack of opportunity and time. But she has two sisters, who, next to herself, are probably the best two women players in the United States. Miss May's game has spread so wide that little has been heard of her sisters, Florence and Violet, except on the Pacific Coast, where they are known wherever tennis is played.

Next year with May out of it the friends of the three sisters believe that Florence could enter the national tournament and win out as easily as May did in 1904. This would leave such minor championships as the Pacific Coast championship and many others she might care to pick up to Miss Violet.

Already the Sutton home, nestling among the foothills at the base of Mount Lowe, in Pasadena, looks like a junkshop. The four sisters, including Mrs. Bruce, the only one married, having been winning cups for years, and there is one room in the Sutton home which they will call the cup room. It contains nearly 200 trophies.

A new money getter appeared at Emeryville yesterday. The French mare Ginette scored her first win on California soil yesterday when she nosed out Con-ford in the fifth race.

Ginette was a strong favorite with the betting public, but she gave her backers quite a shock. As a matter of fact, Ginette only beat out Concord a nose in the last stride. It was by long odds the closest finish of the day. The first half mile in this race was run in 0:48 and the six furlongs in 1:18.

Gorgette and Quickrich were the other favorites to earn winning brackets. Cerra Santa, the well-backed second choice, and the third choice, Ed Shev-dan and Equorum Rex, took the other three races. Quickrich had a rather easy victory in the first race, at six furlongs, especially as the contenders got up in the rack. Quickrich took the lead on the far turn and easily beat Frodo.

Good Cheer was installed favorite in the second event, at five and one-half furlongs but she ran a most indifferent race. Class's led to the stretch, where he was passed by the pony Victoria, who was quoted at 60 to 1. Cerra Santa came with a rush the last part of the journey and beat out Victoria by the best part of a length.

Byronedale was heavily backed to win the third race at one mile and a sixteenth. As the field swung into the stretch it looked as if Byronedale and Thelux had the race between them, but Thelux slipped through on the rail and beat out both of them at the tempting odds of 7 to 1.

The Lieutenant ruled favorite in the fourth race, at seven furlongs, but he ran as if short. He quit in the stretch after chasing Watchful. Aquorum Rex made a great effort in the stretch, and catching Watchful near the saddling pad-dock, won, going away, in the good time of 1:20 1/2.

Gorgette captured the last race of the day, leading from start to finish. Dorado was an easy second.

YACHTSMEN TO GIVE JOLLY SMOKER

The Encinal Yacht Club of Alameda is planning for a smoker to be given next Friday evening, at its clubhouse at the foot of Grand street, Alameda, which is expected to be one of the most "ecum-punctious" affairs the club has ever pulled off.

Those in charge of the arrangements have issued the following unique program:

Ahoy! The Jolly Smoker!

"Avast! Belay! Hurrah for Friday evening, February second, nineteen hundred and six, at the Encinal Yacht Club. Come on, me lads, heave to, and tackle the pipes and baccy, come, hardtack and chow. Anchor weighed at eight bells sharp. Be on deck with the rest of the old salts out for an evening of songs and yarns."

RANSCH TAKES UNTO HIM A BRIDE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—It was learned today that J. Ransch, the well known jockey, was quietly married a few days ago to a prominent young woman of Bakersfield. The couple are spending their honeymoon at the St. Francis Hotel.

El Principe de Gales

At the office, at the club, in the home, on the links, wherever you do your smoking, you will find no cigar that gives you such invariable and constant satisfaction as

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OFFICERS SUBMIT REPORTS

Members of West Oakland Home Hold a Meeting.

A most enthusiastic meeting of the directors and members of the West Oakland Home was held yesterday, at which time the following officers and directors were elected:

President, Mrs. William H. Crocker; first vice-president, Miss Grace L. Trevor; second vice-president, Mrs. H. B. Mehrmann; recording secretary, Mrs. A. L. Wolfe; treasurer, Miss Margaret Hamilton.

Directors—Mrs. William H. Crocker, Mrs. Charles J. Hosenman, Mrs. W. A. Schrock, Mrs. F. E. McManis, Mrs. H. D. Rowe, Miss Laura Danison, Miss Grace L. Trevor, Mrs. A. L. Wolfe.

Managers—Mrs. I. A. Beretta, Mrs. A. N. Peach, Mrs. F. R. Hamilton, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. M. M. Fearn, Mrs. W. H. Welby, Mrs. J. J. Allen, Miss Margaret Hamilton, Mrs. W. D. Reed, Mrs. E. S. Van Court, Mrs. F. A. Dietz, Mrs. H. W. Bishop.

Secretary and Treasurer—President Grace L. Trevor submitted their annual report, which shows the affairs of the Home to be in a most flourishing condition. The reports are as follows:

SECRETARY'S REPORT.

To the President, Board of Directors and Members: The number of children in the Home on January 1, 1905, was 101, 78 in main building and 23 in the cottage. Admitted during the year, 69, adopted 2, out on trial for adoption, 8, total discharged, 84. There were four deaths during the year. Remaining in Home December 31, 1905, 85, 75 in main building and 10 in the cottage.

The membership having increased to 150 members, it was thought best to enlarge the board of directors from seven to nine members and in April an amendment to Article II, Section 1, was offered and adopted. The attendance at the regular monthly meetings has averaged twenty-five members. We have added to our membership list during the year three life, six sustaining and twenty-two active members.

"As usual, I have an encouraging report of the entertainments given to pay off our indebtedness on the building. In January a lecture was given by Frederick Ward, through the efforts of our members, and the receipts, amounting to \$100, donated to the Home. A whist tournament was given in September at Mason Hall, from which we realized \$216.50. During the winter our vice-president inaugurated a series of card evenings, the idea being to help pay the interest on the mortgage. They have been very popular and have resulted in the sum of \$117.50. The annual doll show given in December netted us \$1302.16, which is most encouraging to the ladies who worked so faithfully to make it a success.

The past year we have paid \$1050 on the mortgage, leaving the balance due \$7300.

"Respectfully submitted,"

ANNIE S. WOLFE, Secretary.

FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT.

Following is the report of the first vice-president:

"To the Directors and Members of the West Oakland Home—Ladies: I give the great pleasure to inform you to the eighth annual meeting of the society. It has been a year of prosperity to the institution. Twenty months ago we mortgaged this property for \$15,000, and now we have paid \$10,500 on it. The members have worked with a will and that we have many warm friends. It is the unanimous desire of our members to get our property out of debt and have a building for our growing needs.

"There seems to be an impression that if an institution receives State aid that it does not require any other aid; that the State aid supports it. This is a very wrong idea, for if that was the only aid received and the members were not working necessarily in any way or another to secure funds, the institution would have to close its doors.

"The work of the Home is moving monthly, general good health prevails among the children. We have found a number of good homes for some of the children and are anxious to find more, as we realize that the only temporary shelter institutional life is not like home life, but it serves many times as a stepping stone to a better home life and if it was not for the children's homes our jails and police courts would be even more crowded than they are at present. So long as we have the same old problems, the same old influences that make for good or ill, thus long will the West Oakland Home and like institutions be needed. Let their energies be directed toward the education and advancement of the children and foundations committed to their charge, laying hold of every good thing that can be used to encourage, to brighten and to uplift the young children.

SOME REQUESTS.

The sum of five hundred dollars having been left as a bequest to the "Children's Home" by the late George Goodman, we through the efforts of T. C. Judding, received the half of same, two hundred and fifty dollars, last night.

CAST OFF CLOTHING.

The supply of old clothing at the Salvation Army relief depot at 420 Third street is very low. The number of applicants find it hard to get clothing, especially garments for children and clothing for babies. Over one hundred persons some times apply in a day and are made happy with coats, cloaks, shirts and skirts. They take away their old coats and gowns, hats, shoes, chairs, quilts and other articles that some people are glad to get rid of.

A postal addressed to Staff Captain Wm. Day, 420 Third street, notifying him that you have cast off articles will be promptly attended to. Also by phoning Oakland 3485. Persons can have the relief team call at any part of Oakland, Piedmont, Berkeley, Alameda, Alameda or other points near by.

Altruism.

She—Pena don't want us to be married for ten years yet. But don't look at me, George, you will suit. Be young for years from now.

He—Not during but I wasn't thinking of myself—Lo Rife.

Many a poor woman who works eighteen hours a day has a husband who knows about what it costs him to support her.

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ENGINEER KILLS HIS OWN SON

Runs Over Child on Southern Pacific Locomotive.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 20.—Engineer Paul Robinson of the Southern Pacific yesterday afternoon ran over and killed his own son, Henry, near Salton. He did not realize the terrible calamity of which he was the innocent cause until, drawn to the spot by the screams of other children, he stooped down and recognized the body of his boy as he rolled it from the track. Robinson's family has been living at Salton while he has been engaged there in moving trains used in hauling material for the detour track the railroad is building about Salton sea.

Yesterday afternoon his child, with other children of railroad employees, was playing beside the track. As Robinson's engine was backing he was suddenly started by the screams of the children, and, stopping the engine, sprang from the cab. He was the first one to reach the body of the child, crushed and bleeding. Rolling the body over he was horror-stricken to recognize his own son. Death had come almost instantly. The Southern Pacific placed an engine and coach at the disposal of the engineer to take the body to Los Angeles. The boy was ten years old.

and we gratefully acknowledge its receipt.

Thanksgiving Day the children had an elaborate dinner, provided by their kind friend, Harvey W. Bishop, who never fails to remember those who are less fortunate than himself.

"The Christmas Tree was beautiful as usual, and the committee are entitled to a great deal of praise. Christmas Day is one that is always made brighter by the visit of the kind-hearted Mrs. Elks, and many other friends sent generous donations. The ladies' visitors provided the turkey for the dinner. This society of children are certainly learning the lesson of our Master, that 'it is more blessed to give than to receive.' For they take great pleasure in doing for the helpless little ones.

"Just as the year was closing this Home lost a valuable friend, Mrs. F. M. Smith. She was not a member of this society, but she was always very kind and thoughtful and gave us words of encouragement and a helping hand from time to time. She never seemed to be weary in her good work, and I am sure she has heard the angels say 'Well done, thou good and faithful one.'

"Our former director, Mrs. A. A. Wolfe, has been called to her final rest since our last annual meeting. This society was enriched by her life and her work, and she will be greatly missed for she always had a sympathetic and kindly word for those in distress.

We certainly are greatly indebted to each and every faithful secretary and treasurer, who have so ably and cheerfully filled their positions for a number of years, for which they receive no remuneration whatever.

"Our employees have been faithful and efficient, and we must remember that it is through their untiring efforts that much of the success and reputation of the Home is assured.

"To E. E. Randall I wish to express our appreciation for the many favors he has extended to us.

"I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to the directors and members for their co-operation in every effort made to advance the welfare of the Home. I have made the year a very happy one and a labor of love. To one and all we are very grateful for past labors, and pray a continuance of the same and that our friends and our membership may increase, with each succeeding year.

"May we all be stimulated to greater exertions in advancing this worthy effort of helping others to help themselves. Respectfully submitted,

"GRACE L. TREVOR."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

METROPOLIS—F. Van Cleaf, Chicago; W. S. Barlow, Philadelphia; J. S. Hartford, Chicago; Ida Blackford, Portland, Or.; L. T. Hatfield, W. E. Hatfield, Sacramento; J. A. Case, wife and boy; Mrs. M. F. Baldi, Mrs. Tiesmer, Charles City, Iowa; M. H. Smith, Minneapolis; Miss Mrs. Melner, daughter and son, Duluth, Minn.; W. D. Jenkins, Chicago.

TOURIST—H. J. Vaseburg, Thomas Shipton, Oakland; J. C. Brown, Minneapolis; James Gleason, Jens Dargensen, R. R. Ransom, San Francisco; M. T. Babin, Portland; S. Costello, Racine, Wis.; F. D. Murphy, New York.

THE ATHENS—A. H. Connelly, Oakland; Mrs. E. S. Jackson, Bannock, Pa.; Mrs. J. J. Oakman, Oakland; R. E. Stone, Denver, Colo.

ALBANY—E. G. Dodds, San Jose, H. Burgess, Paul Stewart, Griffith Griffith, J. M. Oleander, E. E. Baker, M. D. Hadley, wife and daughter, Rev. C. R. Brown, Rev. Hart, Robert Whitaker, E. Vosburg, Oakland; B. F. T. Colma; W. S. Rucker, B. B. Lyon, H. W. Thomas and wife, San Jose.

ARLINGTON—S. W. Daffey, G. W. Chase, L. M. Adair, New York; Robert Miller, B. Kimball, Fresno; L. Smith, Los Angeles; Mr. Monck, Lowell, N. H.; W. Nelson, Fresno; B. Galloway, Hayward; M. K. Kirkpatrick, S. A. Macdure, Oakland; G. L. Arnold, San Francisco; Mrs. Willis, Sacramento.

BALZANO—L. A. Gregory, Klamath Falls; H. C. Clark, J. W. Lanomet, Denver; H. C. Beverling, San Francisco.

BENEFIT PAZAAR IS PLANNED

Jerry Bell, a mill hand, 45 years of age, in the employ of the Eagle Box Factory, had his right arm badly cut by a buzz saw yesterday afternoon, and was taken to the Receiving Hospital where he was treated by Dr. R. T. Stratton.

Bell, while engaged in his work, placed his arm within reach of the teeth of the saw, which tore into his flesh about two inches above the wrist, and pulled the skin for several inches, from his arm, tearing the flesh from the bone.

UNITED WORKMEN SUE BY WIDOW

Allice M. Thayer, yesterday afternoon brought suit against the Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, for a policy of \$2000 held by her late husband, Edward F. Thayer. The order has refused to pay the money, pending the adjustment of the claims between Mrs. Thayer and her two stepdaughters, all of whom claim the estate of the deceased.

A Jamaica Bay Fish Story.

Labor Day, 1904, while fishing for black-draw over the wreck, near Rockaway Inlet, San Francisco, I caught a few good-sized fish and a couple of small ones. I had a piece of old women's stocking when I used to wipe off the fishing pole and red with one of the small ones. I had a piece of it and wrapped it around the tail of one of the small black-fish, throwing it into the water. The next year later it just happened to be Labor Day, I was fishing at the same old spot. The first fish I pulled up was a black-fish weighing about two pounds with a black woolen sweater on.—Edwin Hauke in Recreation.

THIS MAN POSES AS A COUNT

Owner of Ten Dress Suits Admits That He's in the Wrong.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—Paul W. Wittner, a handsome man 24 years old, who had ten dress suits and posed as a count, was arrested by Detectives Bragg and Taylor in the Palm room of the Palace Hotel last night on a charge of grand larceny. He had been representing himself as the Pacific Coast representative of the Union Fruit Company of Boston, authorized to dole out superintendences of banana plantations in Guatemala.

Exposure came when the Boston firm telegraphed that he was not connected with it. W. W. Trigg, president of La Herradura Banana Plantation Company, with an office in the Union Trust Building, denounced the young man in scathing terms. Wittner had been employed by this local concern for several weeks, and it is stated that he used the company's office after working hours as his headquarters for the manufacture of fake correspondence.

The creation of a mythical banana plantation was given at Amate, Guatemala. The contracts offered to intended dupes stated that the official's salary would be \$350 a month, payable weekly. As additional compensation a commission of 14 per cent a month, was to be paid on each bunch of bananas shipped to either San Jose de Guatemala or Puerto Barrios.

J. A. Pearce, residing at 1616 Oak street, Berkeley, became interested in the banana business and accepted readily the job offered. He deposited with Wittner a check for \$100 drawn on the First National Bank of Berkeley. The paper was received for and was to be held in trust until February 3. Upon learning from the police that Wittner was not what he claimed to be Pearce declined to proceed further. The detectives assisted him in recovering the check. The police believe that there are a number of other victims to the scheme. Among those who have been negotiating with Wittner for the rich billet in the tropical climate are Harry R. Browne and H. Hartman, the latter residing at 2515 Third street. Applicants usually met Wittner by appointment at the Palace Hotel.

Charles W. Stanley, the Oakland inventor, according to the story told last night by Wittner, was interested with the latter in a flying machine venture. The agreement was said to be that Stanley would furnish the invention and receive 60 per cent of the stock, and Wittner would raise 250,000 francs, which money was to go toward manufacturing the machine.

The detected prisoner admitted that he was engaged to be married to a San Francisco woman.

Detective Taylor searched Wittner's room at 322 Mason street last night, where the accused man had posed as a count. Ten dress suits and a variety of other clothing were found among his effects.

ADOLPH WEBER IS A WRECK

AUBURN, Jan. 30.—Adolph Weber, convicted of the murder of his mother and charged with the murder of his father, brother and sister, who is awaiting the decision of the Supreme Court on his appeal for a new trial, was before Judge Prewett in the Superior Court yesterday afternoon at his own request. He was brought from the jail by Deputy Sheriff May and Constable Dependence. He looks like a physical wreck, and would not be recognized as the same person who was arrested in November, 1904. He was then an athletic young man, less than twenty-one years old. Now he is thin, haggard, unkempt, and looks like a very sick man.

Weber asked Judge if he could not have a physician of his own choosing. The Court asked if he had had a physician lately, and Deputy Sheriff May said he had called in Dr. Miles, who had examined and prescribed for him. Weber said he wanted a physician who had formerly treated him and in whom he had confidence. The one he wanted was an osteopath. He had great confidence in that system.

The court said that he was in charge of the Sheriff, and that official had the authority to say who should be admitted to see him. He was the man who was responsible. He, however, directed the Sheriff to secure from the county clerk a subpoena for one of the county physicians to examine him and also for a specialist. He needed the services of a specialist. He would then make such order as he deemed proper. Weber was evidently very much disappointed, evidently appreciating the fact that regular physicians are not very likely to recommend an osteopath.

DENIES PETITION OF BOOLE & SON

Judge Ellsworth yesterday afternoon denied the petition of Boole & Son, for an injunction, restraining the Shipwrights' Association of Alameda from placing pickets around its premises on the Oakland wharf, and also for an injunction against J. Wright and M. Hartman, who were made defendants in the action of the Shipwrights' Association for whom they were acting as pickets.

Cured His Mother of Rheumatism.

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and she was cured. She is now able to walk and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with." For sale by Osgood Bros., corner of Twelfth and Washington streets, and corner of Seventh street and Broadway.

NEW TRAIN TO TUOLUMNE, SONORA AND JAMESTOWN

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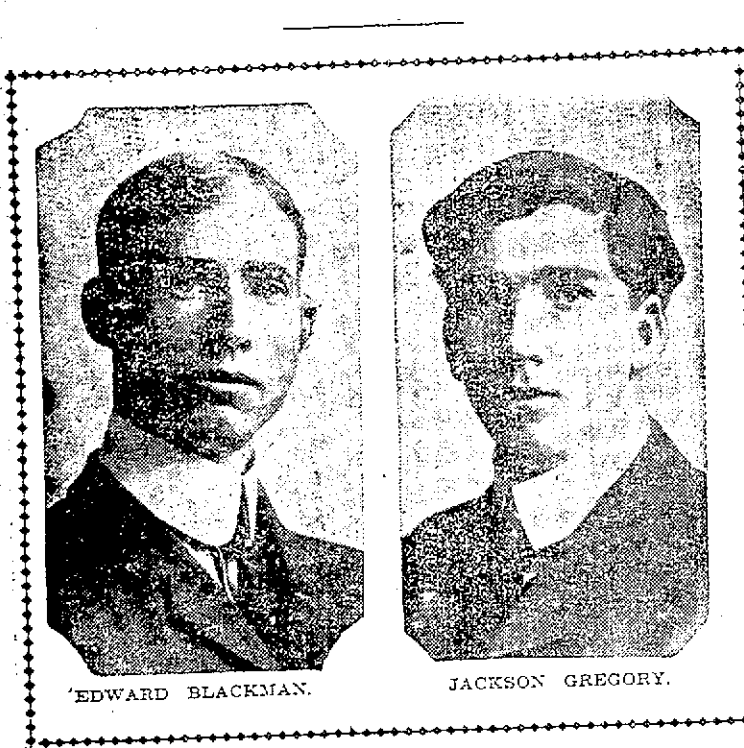
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BERKELEY SUBURBAN NEWS UNIVERSITY

POETS A-PLenty ARE THERE BERKELEY IN THIS CLASS



Four Candidates for Versifying Honors at University—Contest is On.

BERKELEY, Jan. 30.—Poets there are plenty in the senior class at the University of California, and four of them are candidates for the position of class poet. All the beauty in the senior class may not be centered in the place of class poet. Ordinarily the place of class poet is difficult to fill. Poets are not generally plentiful. One poet to the class is about the proportion. The class of '06, however, is rich in poets. Last night four poets were nominated for the job of class poet. The nominees are Jackson Gregory, Edward Blackman, Spencer Brown and J. A. Burgess. Each of these is a good journeyman poet, and all have won some distinction as versifiers in college. Blackman and Gregory have faced each other as opponents before, each having been a candidate for the readership of the Occident a month or two ago. Blackman won out.

JOINED AGAIN AT EXCLUSIONIST IN THE EAST SALINAS

KIDWILER FAMILY UNITED AT LAST, AND THE CHARITABLE ARE NOT MOURNING.

SAN LEO, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Kidwiler and children are gone. They came into considerable prominence and into the hearts and lives of the charitable disposed in San Leandro some time ago on account of the peculiar way the husband and father was of moving his and their residence from one part of the State to another. They went last Friday to Salinas, Cal., where Mrs. Kidwiler's method of moving his family, it will be remembered, was a method which he used twice as fast as to "disappear" and bring considerable newspaper notoriety and charity to his home, finally sending for his family. The charitable disposed probably do not regret that they gave, though. The family certainly was needy, whatever the cause.

DATES AHEAD. Epworth League entertainment, February 15. Santa Isabel Society will install its new officers with noteworthy ceremonies the third Sunday in February, the 15th. District No. 10 conference, San Leandro, March 8.

PERSONAL. Mrs. William B. Saunders, formerly Miss Norah Black, now of Redwood Retreat, Gilroy, has a little daughter. P. Bjorkman and family have moved to San Francisco. Mr. Bjorkman filled the position of engineer at the Best works for some years. He will enter the employ of Byron Jackson. Contractor Williams has commenced work on a four-room cottage for Antonio Frias on his lot on Castro street. Miss Martha Strauss has become Mrs. Frederick Garbner. Ed Whitcomb of Best's is around on crutches with an injured foot. George Gillespie leaves next week for Washington. J. Dimes has rented the Ury cottage on Hayes street.

HAS RETURNED. W. N. Jenkins returned this morning from Sacramento where he addressed a large mass meeting of Christian Endeavorers.

Married Women Mother's Friend

GOES ABROAD MORE ROOM IN PASTURE

UNITARIANS WILL ADD TO THEIR BUILDING IN BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Lydia S. Sterling, daughter of C. W. Sturdevant of North Berkeley, leaves today for Italy where she will stay for a short time and then proceed to Italy. Mrs. Sterling who is the prima donna of an Italian opera company came home unexpectedly to spend the yuletide with her parents, and now having completed her visit will rejoin her company, which upon her return is to tour through Italy.

FAST TIME ON SEVERAL WINDOWS SMASHED

RACEHORSES MEET ON THE SAN LEANDRO ROAD SUNDAY.

FRUITVALE, Jan. 30.—The excellence of the San Leandro road, down in Lockwood district by Charley Freeman's place, for speeding purposes drew a large crowd of horsemen and others there Sunday, and a good-natured exciting time was the result. Not only was an automobile wrecked but as fast time as 2:12 was made by a A. M. Ghiradelli's fast going driven by Doc Williams. In fact all over the road, and the riding, put it all over Barney Schreiber, the winner of considerable money in events at the Emeryville track lately. Others who were in the speed trials were like Ury and Ed Woods, of San Leandro, and Mr. Scott.

ALAMEDA YOUTH HAS A NARROW ESCAPE

Edward Courtney Thrown From His Bicycle and is Nearly Killed.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 30.—Edward Courtney, aged 16, who resides with his parents at 2055 San Antonio avenue, had a narrow escape from death a few days ago when he was thrown from his bicycle with great force to the pavement. Young Courtney was riding along San Antonio avenue at a fast clip. As a delivery wagon going in the opposite direction approached him he applied the coast-brake with which the wheel was equipped. He applied so much weight that the machine stopped in an instant and he was thrown over the bars.

TOTAL VOTE CAST. ALAMEDA, Jan. 30.—The total vote cast at the special election for freetholders to frame a new charter, held in this city on Saturday brought out but 252 votes. This is the lightest vote ever cast here.

ONLY THE SUN, AND NOT A FIRE. The fire department was called on yesterday for an alarm turned in at Sixteenth and Kirkham, by a passer by who imagined he saw smoke coming from one of the nearby houses. The illusion was created by the sun rising and disappearing the fog. The person who turned in the alarm became confused by this phenomenon and thought the occasion required the presence of the fire department.

Every woman covers a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish form after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all danger of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Our little book, telling all about this liniment, will be sent free.

Mother's Friend

CHAMPION ATHLETE IS A MISSIONARY

Roy Service Writes From China, En Route to His Station in Interior.

BERKELEY, Jan. 30.—Roy Service, once a champion athlete of the University of California, is now in the heart of China, with his bride, who was Miss Grace Boggs, herself a former co-ed of the University. Service is representing the Y. M. C. A. as a missionary secretary in the Orient. He is to sail for the interior in a few days, and when his journey is at an end he will be 1500 miles from the coast.

ELKS ALL ARE THERE'S LACK OF WESTERN PACIFIC KNOWLEDGE BUYS LAND

OFFER OF F. W. FOSS MAKES HIT WITH BERKELEY MEN.

BERKELEY, Jan. 30.—The generous offer of F. W. Foss to donate a valuable lot on Center street near Milvia, as a site for an Elk clubhouse was considered at the last Elks' meeting and informally approved. The formal action approving and accepting Mr. Foss' proposal will be taken next Saturday night.

GERMAN CLUB MAKES SUGGESTIONS. Editor TRIBUNE: At a meeting, by invitation assembled, of twenty-one German-American citizens and taxpayers for many years in Oakland and county of Alameda, it was unanimously resolved to organize a German political club to be called "German-American Independent Political Club of Alameda County."

ARM BADLY CUT BY A BUZZ SAW. SAN LORENZO, Jan. 30.—A benefit concert and bazaar will be given at the Village Hall, San Lorenzo, on Saturday afternoon and evening, February 10th, in aid of the Junior Christian Endeavor Band of San Lorenzo. Many for the concert, the announcement of which was made by the band, there will be booths at which too cream, candy, valentines, plants, etc., will be sold. Supper will also be served at 6 o'clock. The admission will be 25 cents.

DRAMATIC READER. To those who have had the pleasure of hearing the talented dramatic reader, Miss Hallie Q. Brown, in one of her well-known recitals, the announcement that she is to appear at the First M. E. Church Friday evening, February 2, will come as a pleasant surprise.

PAY, TRIBUTE TO MARTYRED PRESIDENT. WATERBURY, Conn., Jan. 30.—The annual banquet of the Connecticut McKimley Association to pay tribute to the memory of the martyred president, William McKimley, was held here last night. The McKimley Association of Connecticut, presided. Among the speakers were Congressman Wanger, of Pennsylvania, Dixon, of Montana, and Foster of Vermont.

Pears' CHAMPAGNE

STEESE'S SALE.

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